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McManus anti-hazing bill signed into law

LANSING – Sen. Michelle McManus, R-Lake Leelanau, was on hand today for the signing of anti-hazing legislation she sponsored in the state Senate.

“I am pleased to see these measures become law,” McManus said. “Michigan students are now protected against the cruel practice of hazing.”

Senate Bills 783 and 784 define hazing crimes and establish penalties, including a one-year, \$2,500 misdemeanor against those who hurt another through hazing and a 15-year, \$10,000 felony against those who kill another through hazing.

Michigan now joins the 43 other states that already have anti-hazing laws.

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Editors note: A downloadable photo of McManus at the bill signing is available on the Senate Majority Photowire at

<http://www.senate.michigan.gov/gop/photowire/McManus/McManus.htm>.